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Applicant:

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Title:

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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

Mail Stop AMENDMENT Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- Small Entity status under 37 C.F.R. § 1.9 and § 1.27 has been established by a previous [X]assertion of Small Entity status.
- The fee required for additional claims is calculated below: [X]

	Claims As Amended		Previously Paid For		Extra Claims Present		Rate		Additional Claims Fee
Total Claims:	9	-	20	=	0	X	\$18.00	=	\$0.00
Independent Claims:	5	-	5	=	0	x	\$86.00	=	\$0.00
First p	resentation	of any	Multiple	Depen	dent Claims:	+	\$290.00	=	\$0.00
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[X] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required regarding this application under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16-1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-2350. Should no proper payment be enclosed herewith, as by a check being in the wrong amount, unsigned, post-dated, otherwise improper or informal or even entirely missing, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the unpaid amount to Deposit Account No. 50-2350. If any extensions of time are needed for timely acceptance of papers submitted herewith, applicant hereby petitions for such extension under 37 C.F.R. §1.136 and authorizes payment of any such extensions fees to Deposit Account No. 50-2350.

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Respectfully submitted,

Date September 29, 2004

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